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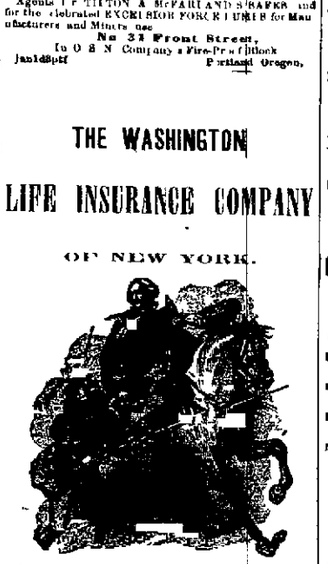

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JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee.
Portland, Jan. 29, 1870. jan29d3t

By Overland Telegraph

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EASTERN DATES TO JANUARY 28

Congressional Dawes Makes Another Speech

Dawes replied to Butler this morning in reply to the speech of Butler yesterday criticising his former speech on the expenditures of the Administration. Dawes defended his former speech as true in every particular and gave proper for him to make. With the book of estimates in his hand he proceeded to refer to item by item in the estimates the various Departments for the year. The statement in regard to the excess of appropriations last year were in every respect correct. He vindicated himself from the charge of making a speech from misinformation. He pointed the experience of himself and other members of the Committee on Appropriations in visiting the various Departments and inquiring before them their wants, estimates and endeavoring to procure a reduction. He stated that while each head of a Department expressed regret for the large balances they all declared they could not be reduced. Heads of bureaus and clerks in the various offices were crowded. At the conclusion the committee rose.

Logan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported a bill reducing the number of officers in the army which was made the special order for Wednesday next and the House then adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan 27. In the Senate the House joint resolution prohibiting assessments or collections from officials to make presents to their superior officers passed.

The resolution relating to the seizure of distilled spirits at San Francisco was discussed and indefinitely postponed.

The bill passed to establish a port of delivery at Omaha.

The Vice President announced that the President had signed the Virginia bill.

The credentials of John F. Lewis and John W. Johnston, Senators elect, was read and the usual oath of office was administered by the Chair.

The Currency bill was taken up. Howe reviewed the various positions suggested during the discussion. Sherman thought an increase of $45,000,000 would be sufficient. Morton desired $60,000,000. Sumner believed $80,000,000 would be about right. He would ask each Senator why they stood at these amounts. Why not take off all restrictions and let the people waste all the money they wanted to invest in banking. As a Western man he asked that the West should have all the banking facilities they need and of which they were deprived by the present unequal distribution. Sawyer favored the bill with Morton's amendment increasing the volume of circulation beyond that proposed by the Committee. Morrill, of Vermont favored the proposition of the Finance Committee, and said that he desired its adoption. The present banking system was put in operation as a war measure. The West at that time did not avail itself of its privileges, and the South, in consequence of the rebellion, could not. He thought that banks in the loyal States should not suffer because of their support of the Government. Morton advocated the bill as proposed, authorizing $62,000,000 of additional circulation, and taking a portion of these millions when necessary for the North and East. He quoted statistics showing the inequality of the distribution, declaring that the great States in the West needed more than double the present circulation. He said that financially the Pacific States had not been friends to the credit of the United States, having unfortunately rejected our currency and adhered to coin. Casserly explained that the Constitution of California, before the war, prohibited a paper currency, and said it was not in consequence of any patriotic feeling towards the United States. Patterson said that New England had been made the scapegoat in the present discussion, but that the National Bank circulation had been forced upon her. She had done her duty to the Government. Senators from the South and West ought not to bombast because, although New England had the lion's share of capital, she took it under compulsion.

In the House Ingersoll, from the Committee on Railroads, reported a bill to authorize the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from Washington to Cleveland, Ohio, or to Erie, Pennsylvania by the nearest and most direct line.

The bill to amend the Georgia bill construing the word oath to include affirmation, was taken up and passed.

The Speaker announced the following select committee on the Postal Telegraph bill: Washburne, of Wisconsin, Lawrence, Dawes, Davis Palmer, Woodward and Brook.

Paine moved that the Virginia members, to whose right to seats there was no objection be sworn in. Platts, Porter and Milnes thereupon came forward and took the oath of office. Wood objected to the oath being administered to Porter and read as the grounds of objection the charges and speculations upon which Porter had been convicted and sentenced to six months imprisonment, which sentence was approved by Gen Butler. Porter was convicted of declaring publicly in Norfolk that the Government was a God d—d humbug from beginning to end, that Abraham Lincoln was doing everything he could for his own election and that this was a rotten, bogus and corrupt Government from beginning to end.

Paine, in answer, sent to the Clerk's desk to have read, a telegram from Butler dated May 5, 1865, stating that Porter, in a heated discussion, had used words which, upon being reported to him, he was obliged to notice. He, however, omitted all the obscene part of the judgment because his previous acts showed that Porter had not, in fact, been disloyal.

Sargent asked Wood whether he was prepared to state that any person should be excluded from membership in the House for having used such language.

Wood said he had in 1865 fully answered that question. He did not think it worth while to put in the House who considered the Government a humbug or who condemned the President in such scurrilous terms.

Sargent remarked that he had simply wanted to get possession of the facts.

Whittemore asked Wood sarcastically whether he did not think it better to treat that class of people with consolation and kindness?

Wood said yes, but not to give them front seats.

Eldridge would not put them alongside of the gentleman from South Carolina. [Laughter.]

Sargent in reply to Eldridge said he would hazard the opinion, if gentlemen were expelled from the House who could be proved to have used such language seats on the Democratic side would be pretty generally vacant. [Laughter.]

Woodward declared with some excitement that the assertions of the gentleman from California were slander.

An excited discussion ensued on the rules by Holman, Smith of Oregon, Cook, Voorhees, Sargent, Gen Mayhew, Woodward, Butler, Woodward, Morgan and Eldridge. The debate was quite bitter, and sometimes both sides indulging in recrimination and recapitulation in regard to party record during the war. The confusion at one time became so great that it required the strenuous efforts of the Speaker's gavel to restore order. Voting was finally secured.

Farnsworth reported a bill to abolish the franking privilege. By general consent it was passed to its second reading. After an hour's discussion it passed, ayes 124, noes 14.

The Committee on Elections in the case of the contested election of Platts vs. Neville, Twenty-first District of Pennsylvania, reported in favor of Neville.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill.

The Civil Government of Virginia Goes Into Effect.

RICHMOND, Jan 27. General Canby to-day issued an order directing that all military commissions acting under the reconstruction acts be dissolved and all prisoners turned over to the State courts. All citizen prisoners under sentence of military commissions shall serve out such sentence unless released by the United States Courts. All civil officers appointed under the provisional government shall vacate their offices when their successors are elected and qualified under the new Constitution.

Henry Walker was sworn in as Judge of the Supreme Court, vice Rives, resigned, February 1.

John L. Major, Jr., Lieutenant Governor, was duly appointed Lieutenant Governor by law to fill the vacancy occasioned by the election of Lieutenant Governor Lewis to the office of Senator.

Washington News in General.

WASHINGTON, Jan. The President nominated John Eaton, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Commissioner of Education in place of Barnard removed.

Secretary Boutwell was at the Capitol today presenting his views before the Finance Committee.

Both Houses Superintendents of the Indians Departments and the Committee of Friends appeared before the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs and presented their views concerning the proper treatment of Indians in that State.

Corbyn, the President's brother-in-law was before the Committee on Banking and Currency today, with reference to the New York gold transactions. He has since refused to divulge anything on the ground that it would be disrespectful to the Committee and to the House.

Ball in Honor of Prince Arthur.

WASHINGTON, Jan 27. The ball given by Minister Thornton in honor of Prince Arthur tonight is attended by from 500 to 600 persons, including the foreign Ministers in full dress with the ladies of their families, members of the Cabinet, Senators and Representatives, Gen Sherman, Admiral Porter, and many others. The President and Mrs. Grant arrived at 11 o'clock. Prince Arthur did a quadrille with Mrs. Grant. The supper was very fine.

Ohio Legislature.

COLUMBUS, Jan 27.—The presiding officers of both branches of the Legislature signed the enrollment bill ratifying the 15th amendment to be forwarded to Washington. The Senate has adopted a joint resolution for adjournment on March 18th until the 1st Monday in January next.

Railroad Accident—Flax Growers' Memorial.

CLEVELAND, Jan 27. Eight or ten cars of the stock train on the Cleveland and Columbus railroad freighted with cattle and hogs, were thrown from the track yesterday in consequence of the breaking of an axle, killing a large number of cattle and hogs.

The Northwestern Flax Association at their annual meeting, adopted a memorial requesting Congress not to reduce the present duty on gunny cloth.

New York News.

NEW YORK, Jan 27.—The Erie strikers have been defeated and have dissolved their Jersey City organization. The men will return to work as soon as the company are ready to employ them.

The celebrated Harrison Freeland breach of promise case has been settled. Miss Harrison who originally talked of $50,000 accepted $7,500.

NEW YORK, Jan 28.—A new disease, heretofore a stranger to this country, has broken out in this city. It is called the "Rheuming Fever." It has been quite common in Europe. Though very violent in its symptoms, it is not attended with great mortality. Several cases have been detected in the hospitals. It is similar to the European famine fever.

Coroner Flynn yesterday commenced the examination of the case of Capt. John Alexander. The accused was absent, but Mrs. Burke, daughter of of the deceased, was present during the examination which is not concluded. The evidence so far is strong against Gardiner.

An extensive fire last night destroyed several buildings on West Twenty-seventh street; loss, $5,000.

British residents of this city are preparing an address of welcome to Prince Arthur, which it is understood will be presented next week by a Committee representing various national societies and British interests in the city.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Long Island at present is besieged by Mormon priests and elders who hold powerful revivals almost nightly and it is said with good effect, as a number of converts are announced. Gen Barton, at present at Baldwinsville, is holding nightly revivals. The people of Jamaica threaten to exterminate them should they attempt to bring about a religious crisis in that village.

The friends of the Rev. Horace Cook state that he is in no insane asylum.

Reddy the blackmailer was again arrested yesterday and committed for assaulting people while drunk.

NEW YORK, Jan 28. Two freight trains on the Erie railroad collided yesterday at Passaic bridge which damaged the locomotives and delayed travel, nobody hurt.

Another attempt to flood the city with counterfeit fifty cent currency has been discovered and frustrated and a clue obtained which may result in the detection of a number of the dealers. Chas. Diamond the notorious counterfeiter has been arrested as one of the principal parties in the move.

Another Vessel Sails for Cuba.

NEW YORK, Jan 28. A special says a schooner sailed yesterday with arms and ammunition for the Cuban insurgents. The Cuban Junta claim to have information of another victory in the Eastern department.

Making "Peaceable" Indians in Montana.

HELENA, (M.) Jan 2.—On the 18th inst. an expedition against certain tribes of Indians who have been stealing stock and murdering whites for the past several months, left Fort Shaw, commanded by Col. Baker. An Indian arrived at Fort Benton to-day and reports that early on the morning of the 24th Colonel Baker surprised the Bear Chief and a camp of over thirty lodges, killing women and children. No quarter was given. The surprise was complete and only six or eight men escaped. The chief was among the slain. He is known to have murdered several whites. Colonel Baker's loss is trifling. Other tribes of the Big Foot fearing of the affair, immediately made haste to reach the British possessions but it is understood the expedition got permission to cross the boundary in pursuit. This report is confirmed by other arrivals at Fort Benton.

Ruin of the Roughs in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan 28. Robberies, burglaries and assaults continue fatally and several new ones are reported this morning. Two policemen encountered three roughs at two o'clock yesterday morning and exchanged shots. One of the policemen received a ball through his arm and shot one of the burglars in the shoulder and fractured his skull with a blow from his pistol. The burglar will probably not recover. The other two escaped. The citizens begin to talk in good earnest about the formation of a vigilance committee.

Great Revival in Illinois.

CHICAGO, Jan 28.—A great religious revival is progressing in Peoria, Illinois. The Opera House is nightly crowded and the schools and business houses are closed three hours each day to allow children and many teachers to attend the meetings. A large number of conversions are reported.

Miscellaneous.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass, Jan 27. One hundred and fifty workmen employed in the cutlery works of the Russell Manufacturing Company, have struck on account of a reduction of wages.

NEW YORK, Jan 28. The thirty-sixth National artillery festival held last evening at the Allotic Royal Hall was largely attended. The time was mainly devoted to social converse, closing with a speech by Wendell Phillips.

NASHVILLE, Jan 28. The discussion on the franchise question closed to-day. A proposition to submit the question of female suffrage to the people, ayes 20, noes 17. The section retaining colored suffrage was adopted by a decided majority.

BY THE CABLES

LONDON, Jan 28. The Senate yesterday discussed a proposition for an international coinage system. Chevalier Desertion and others participated and urged the adoption of a modification equivalent to francs as the universal unit.

The Duke of Virginia, leading member of the Council, died here yesterday. He was 75 years old.

Nothing further has been heard from the rumored death of the Pope.

Many of the troops recently sent to Belfast to preserve order among the strikers have refused to fire the garrison.

President Schneider now accuses Englishmen of having fomented the troubles.

It was a stormy session in the Corps Legislatif this afternoon on the Franco-English American treaties. The Government received a rebuke since of the treaty and rejected the majority with it by representing the country as they would confer with the ministry for favoring principles that the country had repudiated. Great excitement prevailed.

Robert Dykman had killed in the fuller near Stockton this winter four otter, eighteen mink, seventy seven beaver and ducks without number. In two days he killed eighty ducks and one bear.

REMOVAL.
E. CAHALIN
Has removed his Stock of
Leather and Findings
No. 94 Front street, Portland
CASH PAID FOR HIDES AND FURS
Country dealers supplied on liberal terms. BOOT and SHOE Manufacturers take notice.
Agents for Blanchard & Co.'s Hemlock Sole Leather. d22d1tf

CALIFORNIA

Destructive Fire at Los Angeles—Railroad Matters.

LOS ANGELES, Jan 29.—This morning about one o'clock occurred the most destructive fire for years. It broke out in a clothing store on Alameda street, destroying two stores, one military establishment and a wholesale fruit store. By superhuman exertions the flames were stayed before reaching one of the best blocks in the city. The loss is estimated at $70,000. The property was partly insured. The Indians and Chinamen pilfered extensively during the fire. No clue as yet to origin.

The feeling in favor of railroad connection with San Francisco and San Diego is intensifying. Governor Downey is at Anaheim with a San Diego delegation, aiding in consummating capital there.

The anniversary under which the new party movement was inaugurated, are not such as warrant a likelihood of success. One of the organizers repudiates the affair.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.

Women's State Suffrage Convention assembled again this morning, Mrs. Wallace in the Chair. The following resolution was adopted. Resolved, That the action of the Board of Regents in barring females from the University, is a direct insult to women and merits our condemnation, etc.

In the Barstow perjury case, this afternoon, the jury under instructions of the Court, found defendant not guilty, as charged.

A joint Committee of Home and Senate today, visited the Industrial School, Magdalen Asylum, Protestant and Catholic Orphan Asylum, and Foundling Hospital. Their report will be submitted in about a week.

This afternoon Frank O'— was brought before Judge Sawyer, of the Police Court, to answer eight counts of indictment, wrongfully and illegally to have been committed on 21st girls 18 years of age, in this city. Defendant's counsel moved the Court to exclude all persons from the room but witnesses, clerk, attorneys in the case, and the officer having the prisoner in charge. They demurred and this motion was overruled. This morning it has been announced that the prisoner had been discharged.

NEVADA.

Pigeon Shooting—Sullivan Shot—Mine Matters in Virginia City.

VIRGINIA Nov., Jan 27, A pigeon shooting match came off to-day between Frank Ophleton and Johny Gregory. The match was for $100 a side, ten birds each. Ophleton won the match killing ten birds to Gregory's five. Another match will take place to-morrow between Mr. Harrill, of Gold Hill, and King, of Carson. The match is for $100 a side, each to shoot at and kill 25 pigeons.

William Wear, of Mountain Metal Engine Co. No. 5, has come out as a candidate for Chief Engineer. There are now three candidates, Tobin, Pennison and Weir.

Weather clear and pleasant.

Wells, Fargo & Co. shipped to-night 11 bars of bullion, valued at $17,535 85.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

The Impossible Experiment Ended.

OAKLAND, Jan 28.—The steamboat built for the purpose of navigating the Umpqua river started on her trial trip last week and came as far as Mills ferry, about twenty five miles above Scottsburg, but owing to a defect in the boiler, she was unable to cross the rapids. She then finally returned to Scottsburg to fix the defect and expects to be able to come up as far as Roseburg this winter. Considerable money is being wagered as to the success of the enterprise, and a lively interest is manifested by the business men of the valley.

The weather for the past few days has been very mild and pleasant with little rain. Thermometer to-day stood at 76 deg. in the shade.

The Lucas Sensation—A Good Discovery and the Dereliction of a Giant in the Pennsylvania Oil Regions—The Cardiff Giant Outdone—On Tuesday morning last, while William Thompson assisted by Robert H. Smith, was engaged in making an excavation near the house of the former about half a mile north of West Hickory preparatory to erecting a derrick, they exhumed an enormous helmet of iron which was corroded with rust. Further digging brought to light a sword which measured nine feet in length. Curiosity incited them to enlarge the hole and after some little time they discovered the bones of two enormous feet. Following up the mound they had so unexpectedly struck,

The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, JAN 29, 1870

A White Man's Mighty Onsartin'

Upon learning the unofficial information we have heard from Democrats about the tyranny of the Radical government in keeping Virginia unrepresented it might have been reasonably expected that the whole Democratic family would, at once, salute jubilantly over the passage of the bill to admit the

Members of Congress and to secure her representatives and Senators in their seats thereafter, however, it need not be predicted upon any known rules governing human actions what the Democracy will do or say in any given event It is of no use the rules won't work When the Hon Joseph Bumfuzzy is heard again to declare, with uplifted hand and Chadbandian emphasis that his ghost shall not 'down till the bondholders shall be exterminated, let nobody bet a cent that the next time he sees the Hon Bumfuzzy, he will not have his hat crammed with bonds When the Rev Bamboozle is again heard to raise most grave and earnest warning against the sins of gambling and stealing and such little irregularities, let no man, nor woman either flatter himself or herself, that the Rev Bamboozle will not be detected next week in a grand lottery fraud, with his pockets well lined with other people's greenbacks, obtained under such pretenses as would send a mudsill to the penitentiary When you hear the Hon. Joseph Bumfuzzy and the Rev. Bamboozle, with the mixed forces of their well developed lungs, break out in a loud, prolonged, agonizing wail because that a sovereign State has no Bumfuzzy and Bamboozle in the national councils, being shut thereout by wicked tyrannical Radicals, do not therefore, conclude that the Rev and Hon. weepers will vote to admit the representatives of such sovereign State when the opportunity offers Don't gamble away your valuables on such a chance the Virginia case suggests that you might be taken in and done for.

Who could have expected to see Virginia admitted to representation by a "strict party vote," after all the reams of paper that have been written and printed over with Democratic rant at the Radical tyranny of keeping her "out of the Union?" There is a whimsical saying attributed to Sambo, to the effect that "a white man's mighty onsartin." The white man who figures in Sambo's ethics must, clearly, now give way to that still more "onsartin" subdivision of the human race, a Democrat. We have been told by the Southern Democracy that they had no confidence in Northern Democrats We must now conclude that the Southern *people* are ready to declare the same thing, and it is easy enough to understand why. It is because Northern Democrats are mere demagogues on all matters relating to the South and the Southern people. They were that before the war, during the war and since the war. They have never done anything to help or benefit the South, in the manner in which they promised to do it. It was the promise of a demagogue when they pledged their assistance to the South in case of a revolt, this was to secure Southern votes. It nevertheless helped to bring on the rebellion When Northern Democrats talked of the unconstitutionality of coercion, and afterward, about shutting up a counter-revolution in behalf of the rebellious South, they meant nothing more than to embarrass the Republican administration, hoping through that means, to make partisan capital. When the war was over, they commenced to howl for the immediate readmission of the Southern States, and this howl has been kept up ever. since, though the Southern people have been aware all the time that there was no sincerity in it, and that the Northern Democracy intended only to thereby subserve their own political interests.

All these things are sufficiently shown by the "strict party vote" by which Virginia was admitted the other day, the Republicans voting for admission and the Democracy solid against. But now comes an extremely infamous feature of the great political game Fernando Wood objects to the oath being administered to Representative Porter, of Virginia, because that gentleman had at one time used disrespectful language in regard to the United States Government and President Lincoln! Porter had said that this Government was "rotten, bogus and corrupt," etc., and, talking like a Democrat, had used profane language. Wood's movement seems to have been backed by every Democratic member of the House, including the Hon Chadband Smith, from Oregon. The effrontery of the Devil in rebuking Sin, is of the mildest type, compared with that of Fernando Wood, Chadband & Co., in this matter. We can fancy something of the broad guffaw of ironical laughter that must swell the air wherever the telegraph carries the news that Fernando Wood and the Democratic members of Congress object to Porter because he had "cussed" Lincoln and the United States Government. As was suggested by Sargent on this occasion, if all the Democrats who are in similar manner disqualified should be turned out of the House, the seats on the Democratic side would be quite generally vacant.

Editorial Notes

The franking privilege seems likely to go the way of several other abuses which have been cleaned out by this administration. The bill to abolish the privilege has passed the House of Representatives by the decisive vote of one hundred and seventy-four to fourteen Now, if the Senate will follow suit the people of the United States will applaud

The Republicans of Marion and Polk counties have already begun to move in the matter of opening the campaign The county committees have been notified in each county to meet—in the first, on Saturday Feb. 12th, and in the second, on Saturday, Jan 29th—to provide for holding county conventions. These examples of early action, should be followed generally throughout the State

The Boise *Statesman* is engaged in making fierce warfare on the lately appointed officers of Idaho Territory and seems to be supported in its attacks by some of the older officers The trouble seems to be that the new-comers are suspected of an intrigue to oust the old ones It sounds a little funny, though to hear men who were appointed from Oregon calling the man from Wisconsin a "carpet bagger"

There are still many desirable tracts of land along the bases of the Coast range still unoccupied, and out of which excellent farms or stock ranges may be made As illustrative of the sparseness of population as compared with acres, we take the statement of the *Mercury* which says of Benton county that "at least one third of the tillable land in Benton county is unoccupied, most of which lays along the Alsea and Siletz rivers'

There are also vacant tracts in Polk Lane and Marion which consists along the eastern base of the mountains some of which are too high perhaps for strictly farming land, but which would make excellent dairy farms These are all of them "openings" for settlers, the lands being obtainable at the minimum Government price

The war between the Governor and Legislature of Montana at last dates, was going on as spiritedly as ever The Governor has nominated no less than twelve persons for Territorial Auditor, thirteen for Treasurer and eight for Superintendent of Public Instruction all of whom have been one after the other rejected And still the Governor is patiently and placidly sending in other nominations and the Council maintains its equanimity

The spicy little *Fleece*, of San Francisco, furnishes the following as an average sample of the negative migratory and nullifying speeches made in the present California Legislature Mr Speaker I don't see the necessity of this measure I can't see the necessity of it I am unable, Mr Speaker, to see why this measure should pass I don't see it I can't see it Mr Speaker, I do not, think, as you, as all within the sound of my voice, can plainly see I do not, I do not at least, I hope this resolution will not pass. We are convinced that the California Legislature do need a law to protect them from Chinese competition.

With the exception of the money and produce markets, our San Francisco dispatch of last night was not much of a success. It contained the important (?) intelligence that in the case of 'People vs. Dick,' in some court or other to this affiant unknown, "the brief of Byers & Elliott, for appellant was filed,' that in several other cases, the briefs of several other attorneys were filed; that in certain other cases, certain other attorneys were allowed time to file their briefs, and so on through a considerable part of the dispatch Now our solemn conviction, founded on a long course of studious observation and profound meditation, is that our readers don't care a cent whether Byers & Elliott, attorneys, filed their briefs or not Let 'em file, and then bite their file, if they choose. What's that to us? We don't feel like prying into other people's private business, and we can't persuade ourself that we really take a profound interest in the fact that in Deakes vs. Stokes, Nokes, attorney for Stokes, has till Monday to file his brief. If the news agent who fixes up these dispatches has nothing else than such stuff to send, will he please to don't? Our last night's "brief" dispatch has started to the paper mill where it can be utilized—we couldn't see that it had any business in a newspaper.

Union.

The North Umpqua was so high one day this week as to prevent the stage from crossing.

Mr. E. Fox, a Democrat, has been elected to fill the vacancy in the Corvallis City Council.

A hopeful young Democrat of Lane county is trying to raise the means of starting a Democratic paper at Roseburg.

The Democratic County Convention for Clackamas county, has been called for the 16th day of March, at Oregon City.

A letter from New York, Jan. 11th, states that the *Ida F Taylor*, of the Pioneer Line, sailed from that port for Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, the 8th inst.

The people of Corvallis, Benton county, are making efforts to establish, on a permant basis, a school especially for young ladies. The indications of success are favorable.

From the Salem *Press* There hve been during the past week numerous accessions to the M. E Church. . . Mr. Reed has closed a contract with a Portland firm for putting gas and water pipes into the Opera House.

Empire City, Coos county, contains six hotels, four saloons, four dry goods stores, two drug stores, three law offices, and a number of fine dwellings. The Independent Order of Good Templars have a flourishing lodge of some sixty members.

Salem items from the *Statesman* Rev. C. F. Deininger has just recover from his illness . . The dramatic company are to play to night at Reed's Opera House . . Dr Watt has paid into the State Treasury the taxes for Yamhill county . . Mr. Ralston has done the same for Clackamas

From the Corvallis *Mercury* The "Willamette Freighting Company" are preparing to build a new steamer, and expect to launch her in seventy days . . The third Quarterly meeting of the M E Church for the Corvallis charge will be held January 29th and 30th, Rev. N Doane, P E, officiating

From the Roseburg *Ensign* of Jan 22. Some slight falls of snow occurred in this valley, during the early part of this week, none of which were sufficient to cover the ground . A quarterly meeting is now in progress here by the M E Church, under Rev. P L Stahl, Presiding Elder.

A correspondent at Astoria, speaking of the general impetus lately given to railroad schemes, among other things, says "To speak more definitely about our plans and prospects—that all may judge of the matter for themselves—I will say that in August, (1st, I think), 1868, a railroad company was incorporated at Astoria for building a road to Forest Grove This company has perfected its organization and is using its corporate powers as required by statute, and had agents in attendance upon Congress last session (and has also the present), asking a donation of lands from Astoria to Forest Grove The project (we understand) is favorable that such a grant will be obtained the present season'

The West.

Governor McCook (Ned McCook) of Colorado, goes for female suffrage The Governor is a handsome man

Tobacco culture has been tried in San Diego county with complete success The product is superior to most of the Virginia leaf for sale

The notices posted up in Vallejo for all the workmen on Mare Island to prove their citizenship by the 22d of January have been taken down by authority

A fruit dealer of Los Angeles recently found in a bunch of bananas, just imported from the Sandwich Islands, a very vigorous pugnacious four inch centipede

"Great Heavens!' said a bar room bully at Denver City, who shot a stranger for declining to take a drink with him,' O eat heavens I am I never to come to Denver without being obliged to kill somebody?

Congressman Boyd has written to St Louis that 78 members of the House of Representatives are already pledged to vote against any appropriation for buildings in Washington or for the World's Fair proposed to be held there

Council Bluffs advertises a ladies' lunch room where can be obtained Roman punch, Muscatel wine, St. Croix rum, old Tom gin, Canadian and Bourbon whisky, champagne and wines of every description, Zoe old ales and porter

Nine silk weavers have arrived at Quincy (Ill.) from Salt Lake, whither they had been lured from England by the emissaries of Brigham Young under the promise that they should have plenty of work in silk manufactories which were represented as existing at Salt Lake They had walked nearly the whole distance, and were in the last stages of distress from their long tedious journey

Colfax on Grant

SECOND TERM AND FIRST TERM ADMINISTRATION

By the Inspection

Starting on the threshold of the New Year with ten months of the administration of President Grant before the country and the world, it is a fitting time to consider the present condition of affairs, and to contrast it with March last, when he took the solemn oath that invested him with the power conferred on him by the public vote

ECONOMY

In very little but the public service has orders initiated retrenchments, which have been and are being carried out with zeal and efficiency Useless offices have been discontinued, the clerical force in the departments has been largely reduced, the army was promptly reduced very many of the surplus military officers, resulting from the reorganization of the regiments, have been ordered into service as Indian agents thus saving the salaries of an equal number of civilians and unnecessary appropriations have not been used

RETRENCHMENTS

With taxation diminished from last year the revenue has steadily increased, abating the discontent which always exists when the honest tax payer is compelled to bear his own burden and the burden that should fall on the dishonest tax payer besides

RINGS

With this increased efficiency and vigilance on the part of the revenue officers the Whisky Ring, once so wide spreading and powerful, no longer exists in an organized capacity any where in our cities or throughout the land And the Gold Ring, which caused such wild excitement a few months ago, felt the power of the President and his Financial Secretary at a timely moment so that it has not since shown signs of life or action.

THE DEBT.

Month by month the people have witnessed with interest satisfaction the steady reduction of the National Debt The monthly bulletins of the Treasury Departments have been successive campaign documents in favor of the Administration and when the year expires over one twentieth of the bonded debt will have been paid

GOLD

Steadily with the single exception already alluded to, the premium on gold has declined, not by any extraordinary attempt of the Administration, to force or to hasten the resumption of specie payments, but by the improved credit of the nation reacting upon it Already the narrow margin between the premium on gold and the selling price of our bonds points unmistakably to the nearness of the time when the debt can be funded at a much lower rate of interest, enabling the country, in connection with other savings, to dispense with scores of millions of dollars of taxation

PARDONS

Instead of the daily release of convicted offenders against the law, the exercise of Executive clemency has been confined within proper and healthy restrictions, alike just to the criminal and the country he has wronged.

PUBLIC OFFICERS

Whatever discontents there may have been as to this or that appointment, no fair man can deny that, as a whole, the nation has never had any better array of officers. If the President could possibly have been guided by unerring inspiration, all would not have been satisfied with his choice, for even if a dozen applicants were thoroughly qualified but one could be selected and eleven with all their friends dissatisfied And, as there is no Congressman who will deny that he has sometimes made mistakes in selections in his own district, where he knows personally so many of his constituents, how could any President be infallible when he must depend for knowledge as to a very large proportion of applicants on the recommendations of others

RECONSTRUCTION.

By the prompt and judicious action of the President, under the large authority given to him last April, in the closing hours of the first session of the Forty-First Congress, the work of reconstruction draws rapidly to its close, and before the resurrection of spring gladdens our hearts, we may hope to see every State in the Union fully represented in the National Councils.

THE INDIANS.

Under the President's firm but humane policy, there have been fewer Indian outrages and outbreaks between the Mississippi and the Sierras than during any year since 1863 Peace to the frontier settlements is a boon whose blessings and joy few here can adequately realize.

CASTE.

In nothing has the Administration been more positive and outspoken than in the advocacy of the Fifteenth Amendment, from the day that it was recommended in the Inaugural till the present hour, when its final ratification seems so near at hand And, before its formal adoption, the President has illustrated his belief in its justice by appointing to office, of both higher and lower degree, many whose race and color, irrespective of their intellectual qualifications, had previously placed them under the ban of official ostracism The following terse and emphatic remark of the President to Attorney-General Hoar, and quoted by the latter at the recent New England dinner in New York, is worthy to be printed in letters of gold

"I hope to see the time when every man in this country may have power to express his own opinion, to follow whom he pleases, to vote as he likes, and to have his vote counted, without molestation, or hindrance or insult. If we can only unite to maintaining public faith and credit, our political differences will not be of much account"

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

The brief but pointed allusions in the President's annual message to "the only grave question which the United States have with any foreign nation," must be fresh in the memory of all And also his emphatic sentence.

"A sensitive people, conscious of their power, are more at ease under a great wrong wholly unatoned, than under the restraint of a settlement which satisfies neither their ideas of justice nor their grave sense of the grievance"

If any amplification of the ground on which the nation stands on this question was needed, the masterly and unanswerable argument of Secretary Fish, recently published, investing as it does with new interest a theme so elaborately argued heretofore, shows how faithfully the Administration is vindicating "the rights, dignity and honor" of the United States

CUBA

The President's sympathy with all people struggling for liberty, and self-government are frankly stated in his message But, while thus openly expressing them, he as frankly declares that "no matter how unpleasant the task," he has endeavored to execute our neutrality laws in good faith On the main subject he thus spoke

"The people and Government of the United States entertain the same warm feelings and sympathies for the people of Cuba in their pending struggle between Spain and her former colonies in behalf of the latter but the contest at no time assumed the conditions which amount to a war in the sense of international law, or which would show the existence of a de facto political organization of the insurgents sufficient to justify a recognition of belligerency"

And he adds Our course should always be in conformity with strict justice and law, international and local, which none of these overcoming him can deny The President believes as his whole message proves, in the Golden Rule for nations as well as individuals Whatever our sympathies may be, he holds that we should act toward others exactly as we would have had others act toward us during our recent struggle for national existence or as we would have them act hereafter if unhappily another dark cloud of civil war should ever overshadow our land But while thus performing the unpleasant task, he submits the whole matter to Congress which representing the people and fresh from their midst, is certainly a proper arbiter on a question that might eventuate in a war with a foreign power and its possible attendant and the increased debt and taxes, diminished commerce, and the new bloodshed that might result If the question was not settled by the intervention of law which so influences by others in our own case, we have so publicly and repeatedly confirmed at the bar of the civilized world It is a reminder to our minds that while the President was writing this message Cespedes in the Island of Cuba on the 10th of November wrote in his proclamation as follows

"Perhaps it is just that the Administration of the Washington Government should delay recognizing us until Congress shall have met"

This brief and dispassionate retrospect might be extended but enough has been written to prove that the Administration fully deserves the popular confidence it has won

SCHUYLER COLFAX

A letter from Denver, Jan 8 Denver says Cleveland's dog Dan wants We have had more than ten days of unusually cold weather The mercury has been down by zero and other weather with a corresponding warm that every one of us has been in the house Even the Indians have been more than usually quiet and have not been on the war path

Recently an old man was found in the bushes by Lodge, the American Express Agent at Covington Whereupon Hon Jesse D Bright left Washington and declared with terrible emphasis that Brooks' reports to that he would never vote for another dog that is of the kind that

The Globe says that it has been stated that Congress will permit Arizona to be sent from Missouri to the United States Senate, as it finds that Chandler has about as much chance for repudiating as the Senate as a Texas bull has to rest on fly time

Within six miles of Tucson Arizona, Maj Duffield owns a silver mine which is perhaps the richest in the country In fact a piece of rock sent to New York assayed over $1 to the ton and a piece of ore assayed $1 to the ton and a piece of ore assayed $1 to the ton $1,000 to the ton

The present winter like the last one has thus far belied all the predictions of weather prophets Grasshopper, beaver, muskrat, bird flight and other experiments The frigid predictions that circulated so freely a month ago are seen no more

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 3, 1869
To Dr McBride—This is to certify that I have been troubled with neuralgia in my right arm and hand for the past three months, and although I have had medical advice and tried a number of remedies, none has relieved me until I tried Dr McBride's "King of Pain," which has done me more good than all the other remedies I have tried JAMES B HODGMAN

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DR McBRIDE—My Dear Sir For the last six or seven years I have been afflicted with rheumatic pains, from my knees down, embracing all the joints of ankle and toes These pains have come upon me periodically every year, also at this season of the year My knees and ankles, and toe joints and my wrists and finger joints would swell and leave me in the most agonizing pain Known only to those who have suffered from this dread malady These pains would continue for a period of from three to four months every year and they have been regular in falling and all visitors I have been accustomed to apply for relief to the best citizens of San Francisco and have not failed to use all the popular remedies known to the public I would sometimes receive temporary relief after long continued application, but it would never fail to return in a few days with increased severity

About two weeks ago while my pains were upon me, I saw you at the corner of one of our streets, and heard what I said about your "King of Pain," I confess that I listened to you with deep distrust Indeed, I may say that I did not believe your statements "still," thought I "it only a dollar, and I'll patronize the Humbug one dollar's worth" I bought a bottle and tried it first on my knee, which was fearfully swollen, and from which I suffered very severely The second night I tried it again, and my dear Doctor you can judge of my surprise, ecstacy and delight altogether, when I found on rising the second morning that my pains were entirely gone and the swelling entirely disappeared. My knee joints were as supple as when I was young I actually danced with delight, much to the amusement of my friends, who had been in the habit of regarding me as a decrepid old rheumatic It has now been two weeks, and I have not felt the least symptom of return I believe I am cured and I feel so grateful to you that I offer you this statement, verified by my oath, to be used by you in whatever way you may think proper, and I feel it a duty to let others similarly afflicted know where they can find relief

I am, yours, very truly RAPHAEL LOOKATBE
State of California, city and county of San Francisco. On this 16th day of October 1869, personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city and county of San Francisco aforesaid Raphael Lookatbe, known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing letter and who being by me duly sworn deposes and says the contents thereof are true
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TO THE PUBLIC
Grateful for the many services rendered me by Dr J J McBride I hereby make a statement of the following facts For twelve months I had suffered from an affection of my nervous system resulting in partial paralysis and in one instance total loss of sight A case of physical pain had abandoned my case as hopelessly incurable. I had often heard my friends recommending Dr McBride's "King of Pain" as being more than all the other remedies I had tried and I thought the advertisement of "King of Pain" that he is influenced in such a manner as to induce more medical aid than I had known for long weary months My sight was much restored that I could read print although I had used a guide to find Dr McBride's office, which I never before Before leaving him I had regained the use of my limbs at present limbs and eyesight are strength and I can read well while all those aches and pains my constant companions, were dissipated in a few days I can with pleasure and confidence recommend Dr McBride to all who are afflicted as I was and can truthfully say that I am without a doubt the most grateful man living to him for restoring me to health and strength
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RAILROAD RUMORS We have heard several sources lately of important railroad projects pending among certain prominent citizens of this city having for their object the procuring of funds with which to prosecute the East Side Railroad but never means the facts have not been such as to warrant making public at this writing Yesterday a reporter called upon the treasurer of the East Side Railroad Company to ascertain the truth of these rumors and was informed that the following statement was made by the president of the road Mr Ladd that he had just returned from the East where he had been for the purpose of raising funds to complete the road to Sandy and that he had succeeded in his mission to the extent of $ He also stated that he would commence work on the road in a few days and that the line at the mouth of the Sandy would be completed by the first of June next Mr Ladd also stated that he had no doubt that the road would be completed to Sandy by the first of next summer and that he was in hopes to be able to have the road completed to Salem by the first of next January

We also learned yesterday that a telegram from the city had been received stating in order that a land grant to the Salem and East Portland Railroad had been confirmed by Congress and that Messrs. Olney, Government Director and that Messrs. Olney and Watkins were at Washington looking after the interests of the road Mr Olney had entered into negotiations with the Union Pacific Company by which that company would take charge of the road when completed and have it run through The project as far as it has been developed is a good one and we hope sincerely that it may be carried through to a successful termination We have much confidence in the energy and ability of the gentlemen who have the matter in charge and we hope soon to see the cars running to Sandy and ultimately to Salem

In addition to the above, the Oregonian says that the following "The suit which has been before the defendants in a case decided by Mr Justice Field and Judge Deady of the U S Circuit Court, in favor of the Oregon Central Railroad Company vs the Oregon Central Railroad Company, has been settled out of court by the defendants in the person of Hyer Jackson, Sanford Chapman, John Chapman, J D Marryman, R W Ladd and Wm E Smith The object of the suit was to have the stockholders pay the amount of their subscriptions in money, by order of the Commissioners of Washington county, and of the Central Railroad Company of Oregon, to aid in the construction of roads in said county on the way from Portland to Salem"

FREIGHTER ACCIDENT—Yesterday about half past four o'clock, Mr. R. was fearfully injured by being caught between a log at the sawmill of Meldrum Bros & Co, at the foot of Jefferson street. The accident was doubtlessly endeavoring to place a chain connecting the large grindstone in the basement of the mill with the pulley on the line shaft, to set the grindstone in motion, when his left hand and arm were caught between the belt and pulley and crushed in a terrible manner—in fact, the whole arm was completely ground to a mangled mass of flesh and broken bones. His body was whirled around the shaft, which was running at great speed, tearing his clothing, boots from his person, and bruising many parts of his body No one being in immediate vicinity except a small child, who had accompanied him to the mill, and he being unable to call for assistance, would soon have bled to death if he was not so for a vigorous application of the tourniquet by Dr Cline that had been applied by Dr Harbaugh Mr R was conveyed to his residence on Second street, where his injuries were dressed by Dr Harbaugh Dr Cline and Dr Atkinson Although it is feared that he will be unable to use the left hand and arm for some time, it is hoped that he will soon be able to be around on crutches

Later—At twelve o'clock last night we learned that Mr R was resting apparently comfortably, considering the severity of his injuries We learned further that his physician had [illegible]

A MANUFACTORY Since the completion of transportation [illegible] the Eastern States, we have been inaugurated, which must in the end [illegible] whether we [illegible] on this coast, our [illegible] compete with those in the East [illegible] have at once sprung up, [illegible] here and that wages of operatives down or [illegible] This thing is plain, [illegible] considering the fact that subsistence, food, clothing and rents here are [illegible] cheaper than in the East [illegible] as low as labor The following [illegible] exchanges on the completion of the [illegible] apply with equal force to Oregon [illegible] with costly capital, the high prices of raw material, the expensive rates of labor, varied by the annoying combinations [illegible] executive of [illegible] serious embarrassment [illegible] and [illegible] tion of many branches of industry [illegible] and, until these evils are [illegible] in some measure removed, the [illegible] this direction can only be [illegible] the cost of carrying on operations [illegible] labor, or our factories and workshops [illegible] and most kinds of production [illegible] fact that before any material reduction in prices of labor can be effected there must be a thing like a permanent reduction in the cost of living—or, rather, the cost of living must be simultaneous and general. The cost of subsistence must come down to the standard of the overseer and the wages of the man to the end that the latter may appropriate the [illegible] and their earnings There must be economy every hand, and a general [illegible] also in the effort at reducing prices to a normal condition, and place them in harmony with the rest of the world

A BAD START—A great many men of Oregon got their start in Yamhill and pretty good starts at that, but from that section seems to town a and got a "start" which has a [illegible] so pleasant as the generality of Yamhillites had a very fine pistol which he valued at $40, on what is called by the initiated "the game" a dance gotten up to decoy some of whom, of course, the victims from Yamhill deemed being. But when he would see through the thing and "dodge," he found that he was unable to "dodge" and so lost his pistol The case was related to a police officer, who intended to look into the matter, but the lad had compromised matters by doing about half what the pistol was worth, and settling with the producer who had a claim on the Moral Don't play the "starting game"

RAILROAD IMPROVEMENT—

The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 29, 1870

CITY.

RAILROAD RUMORS.—We have heard, from several sources lately, of important negotiations now pending among certain prominent business men of this city having, for their object, the securing of funds with which to prosecute the work on the Oregon Central Railroad, but our means of getting at the facts have not been such as to justify us in giving the public all the statements we have heard in regard to the matter. Yesterday we learned from a reliable gentleman that the sum not was nearly all subscribed, and that a probability existed that the full sum would soon be obtained. If this be so, we may look for a vigorous prosecution of the work on this line at an early day. We have ever been of the opinion that the road would be built, and present indications are not unfavorable to the belief that next summer will see much of the work accomplished.

We also heard yesterday that a gentleman in this city had received a telegram from Washington stating, in effect, that a land grant in aid of the Salem and Astoria road had been obtained from the Government, and that Messrs. Olney and Hunt, who are at Washington looking after the interests of the two roads named, had entered into some negotiations with the Union Pacific Company by which that company would take hold of both roads and put them through. The present being an era of railroads, we hope sincerely that Oregon may secure her full share of these great highways of commerce.

In addition to the above, the *Commercial* of Friday has the following: "The papers have been served on the defendants in a suit brought by Thomas Tucker and Jacob Hoover, plaintiffs, vs. the Oregon Central Railroad Company, Washington county, Hyer Jackson, Sanford Wilcox, John Chipman, J. D. Merryman, R. E. Chatfield, W. S. Ladd, and Wm. E. Smith, defendants. The object of the suit is to have stopped any further payments of money, by order of the County Commissioners of Washington county to and in aid of the Central Railroad Company, which line of road extends through portions of Washington county, on the way from Portland to California."

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Later.—At twelve o'clock last night we called at the residence of Mr. Ladd and found him resting apparently comfortably, considering the severity of his injuries. We learned further, that the physician has great hopes of his recovery.

OUR MANUFACTURERS.—Since the increased facilities for transportation from the East have been inaugurated, we hear much speculation, as to whether, under the present system of high wages on the coast, our manufacturers can successfully cope with those in the Eastern States. Many have at once concluded that labor was too dear here, and that wages of operatives must come down or manufacturers must cease operations. This reasoning is incomplete, when we take into consideration the fact that subsistence, such as food, clothing and rents here are as high in proportion as labor. The following remarks from an article on the condition of things in California, apply with equal force to Oregon: "Combined with costly capital, the high prices of fuel and raw material, the excessive rates of labor, aggravated by the annoying combinations and ruinous strikes of workmen, are now operating to the railroad embarrassment and even entire destruction of many branches of industry in California, and, until these evils are corrected and these obstacles in some measure removed, no improvement in this direction can reasonably be looked for. Either the cost of carrying on operations must be diminished, or our factories and workshops must be closed, and most kinds of production and industry cease." We are not convinced of the fact that before any material reduction in the price of labor can be affected there must be some sort of a corresponding reduction in the means of living—or, rather, the cheapening movement must be simultaneous and general. Rents and the cost of subsistence must come down with the salaries of the overseer and the wages of the workman, to the end that the latter may still be able to procure the necessaries and decencies of life with their earnings. There must be concessions made on every hand, and a general co operation of all parties in this effort at reducing our industrial affairs to a normal condition, and placing ourselves in harmony with the rest of the world."

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RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.—The third quarterly meeting at the Taylor street Methodist Episcopal Church, for the present Conference year, will commence on Saturday, Feb. 5th, with preaching by the presiding elder at two o'clock P. M.

The services at the Taylor street M. E. Church to-morrow *morning*, will be for the special benefit of the children. A sermon will be preached by the pastor.

Very interesting religious meetings have been held the past week in the Hall street M. E. Church, and also in the Congregational Church by Rev. Dr. Atkinson.

The amount expected to be raised by the Portland charge for missionary purposes the current year is $140, East Portland, $21, Milwaukie, $105.

CROWDED HOUSE.—A full house greeted the management at Oro Fino Theater last night, and the character of the performance was fully as entertaining as that of the two evenings previous. Frequent bursts of applause greeted the appropriate rendition of the amusing parts of the programme as announced. The favor with which the public has received Mr. Bates and his corps of actors is both complimentary to him and them, and indicative a high appreciation of his efforts to please the Portlanders. There will be a matinee this afternoon to which all should go who cannot attend in the evening. The programme of last night will be repeated this evening.

PLAZA CONCERT.—The music by the Band at the Plaza this afternoon, will begin at half past two o'clock and consists of the following programme:

1. French Quickstep.
2. Ixion Polka.
3. Schubert's Serenade.
4. Volksfieder Quadrille.
5. Miserere and Ocche la morte, from Trovatore.

Vardi.

6. Sounds from Home. *Gungle.*
7. I Remember. (Ballad.) *Aucken.*
8. Grecian Bend (polka).

ACCIDENT.—A child about three years old, of Mr. Patterson, a wood chopper living on the Canyon road, was accidentally struck with a stick of wood yesterday, causing a fracture of the skull in the forehead near the junction of the hair, and cutting the flesh badly. Dr. Gittner was sent for and dressed the wound, which, though serious, is not thought dangerous.

DROWNED.—On Thursday as the steamer *Mary Bell* was passing down the Columbia, when near Wapato Island the fireman, David Washburn, in attempting to draw a bucket of water lost his footing, and fell overboard. The alarm of a man overboard was given immediately and the boat stopped, but before assistance could reach the man, he sunk out of sight and nothing more of him could be seen. He was a single man and formerly lived in California, going from there to Washington Territory, whence he came to Portland several months ago, since which time he has been employed as a fireman of the boats running down the Columbia.

MEETING OF FOREMEN.—There will be a meeting of journeymen Machinists, Moulders, Pattern Makers, Blacksmiths and Boiler Makers held at the Washington House, Armory, on Stark street, this evening at half past seven, at which all journeymen in the above branches of trade are requested to be present.

OREGON CITY SEMINARY.—From the *Enterprise* we learn that the average daily attendance at the Oregon City Seminary was 200. Miss Warren, a teacher in the primary department, had resigned, and account of ill health, and Miss Todd has been chosen to fill her place.

EXAMINATION.—We learn that the semi annual examination of the students of the Portland Academy and Female Seminary will commence on next Thursday at one o'clock P. M., and be continued to the following day. The friends and patrons of the school and the public generally are invited to be present.

AT ASTORIA.—The bark *Live Yankee* had not yet gone to sea when the boat left Astoria for this place yesterday morning.

The *Shark* is also lying at Astoria. The weather at the mouth of the river is still reported stormy.

NEW BOOK.—A new book entitled "Winter and Spring on the Shores of the Mediterranean," by Henry Bennett, has lately been placed on the shelves of the Portland Library Association.

LINEN FACTORY.—C. M. Cartwright is now in this city en route to the Eastern States to purchase the necessary machinery for the construction of a linen factory at Salem.

FULL CARGOES.—The *Montana*, for San Francisco, and the *California*, for Victoria, left salmon four o'clock this afternoon. Both vessels have full cargoes of Oregon produce.

STEAMER MAIL.—Parties sending mail matter by the steamer to-day should have it in the office before a quarter after three P. M., as the mail will close promptly at that hour.

UNITED STATES COURTS.—The U. S. District Court will meet at ten o'clock this morning, and the U. S. Circuit Court on next Tuesday, pursuant to adjournment.

THE ALERT.—When the *Mary Bell* left Astoria yesterday morning, the bark *Helen W. Almy* had not yet got inside the bar, the weather being still quite rough.

NOTARIAL.—Governor Woods has reappointed Robert E. Bybee, Esq., of this city, a Notary Public for Multnomah county.

REMOVAL.—J. W. Campbell has removed his new Patent Bed Bottom manufactory to Messrs. Jensen & Rothlesberg's Cabinet and Carpenter shop southeast corner of Morrison and Fourth streets. Although but recently introduced the Minnesota Bed Bottom is fast coming into general use and is giving general satisfaction. Come and see it. j20d1m

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The New York Democracy and the Next Presidency

[From the N. Y. Herald, Jan. 8.]

The New York Democracy at Albany are engineering for two great objects—first to secure their power over the State and, second, to control the next Democratic National Convention and to name its candidate for the Presidential succession. Nor have they ever heretofore possessed the advantages which they now command for the accomplishment of these two great objects. They have every department of the State government, whereby they may and intend to reconstruct all the departments of our city government in the interests of the party. From the pickings and perquisites of the public plunder of this metropolis Tammany Hall, hampered as she has been by the independent commissions from Republican Legislatures, such as the Police, the Fire Department, Excise, Health Board, &c., has still contrived to wield the balance of power in our last two State elections—first, in the general vote, and next in the Assembly and Senatorial districts. Now, with all these commissions under her control, the Republicans may well despair of ever regaining the ground they have lost.

The city has given the Democrats at last absolute control of the State, the Democratic vote of the city since 1866 has become superior to the adverse vote of the State. The city has thus become master of the State, and so Tammany, in holding the city and all its rich pickings, spoils and plunder, is master of the situation at Albany. We have, then, only to consider the programme of Tammany in order to form our conclusions touching the prospect of New York for the next Democratic Presidential nomination. Without even a show of opposition from the interior, and with only a coquettish device of opposition from Brooklyn, we see that the slate made up by Tammany for the organization of the Legislature has been adopted. From this it is evident that the so-called "hayloft and cheese press Democrats of the rural districts" have given in their allegiance to the Wigwam, and that the State and Presidential schemes of the sachems will be carried out.

What, then, are these schemes? First, a municipal government for the city, consolidating all its departments under the Mayor and Common Council, and embracing the repeal of the Excise and Registry laws. It is calculated that under this reconstruction the balance of power over the State will be secured against all possible contingencies, and the calculations not extravagant. Assuming, then, that the State is secured henceforward to 1872, what is the Tammany Presidential platform? It is hostility to Grant's Administration and the Fifteenth Amendment of the Federal Constitution, and it is, moreover, the good old Democratic shibboleth of specie payments. And what is the Tammany ticket? It is Hoffman. Tammany has adopted Hoffman as champion, the rural districts respond in his favor, and he has proclaimed his principles. From present appearances, too, he has the inside track and the odds in his favor against all competitors for the next Democratic National Convention.

The candidates before the Tammany Convention of 1868, Pendleton, Packer, Hendricks, Hancock, Seymour, and even Chase are all killed off, and as since the outbreak of the late Southern rebellion, the Democracy have been reduced to a very limited supply of Presidential timber Hoffman becomes an available man though hardly of the dimensions of Van Buren, Marcy, Wright and other New Yorkers of the old regime of the Albany Regency. It must be borne in mind however, that the small intrigues, the petty cliques, the compoundings, compromises and haphazard chances that have controlled our Presidential politics for the last twenty five years and more have driven off in disgust a large body of our most capable men to surer pursuits, and that we must deal with things as we find them. Availability being the great Presidential reputation that is, availability in view of the popular vote. Hoffman, who runs well may challenge a comparison with any of his Democratic contemporaries as far out as he has been tried. In the next great essential, the engineering of the party convention, what the New York managers did in 1868 they will most likely, with their enlarged facilities, be able to accomplish in 1872.

HOFFMAN then, for 1872 in all odds, has the best show for the Democratic nomination. Assuming that he will be nominated, what is his position on the platform. He has proved himself against General Grant. He protested not only against the Fifteenth Amendment but against the Fourteenth and his objections apply as well to the Thirteenth. He did not accept or protest against all the changes made in the Federal Constitution since the war as revolutionary, which is only the old battle cry of McClellan and of Seymour over again. Nor is there much that is practical or satisfactory against the financial policy of Grant in Mr. Hoffman's specie payment theory. It is the theory of a sophomore in finance—a theory of pretty bubbles and bursting speculation. Hoffman is a good word and his platform to suit cover the ground. He is still behind the fixed facts of the new age. He is still in the old ruts of the age before the war and on the trail of Seymour he can never overtake Grant.

The New York democracy then have still to take the first essential steps to success in 1872—embarking in new platforms and new candidates or both, up to the high water mark of the age we live in. Nor have we any doubts that unless Tammany Hall shall in the interval pronounce in favor of a new departure all her efforts are to secure the next Presidency, though securing it by immediate nomination will result only in another Seymour campaign.

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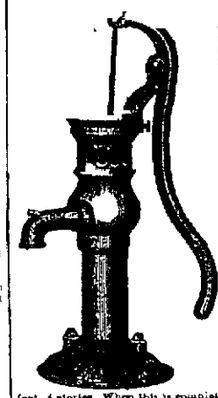

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I WILL PAY $100 REWARD FOR THE ARREST and delivery to me at Hillsboro, Oregon, of W. Brent, who has gone with stealing and killing Jas. Hobbs' mare. W. Monk is a half-breed Indian, about 35 years old, 5 feet 7 inches high, dark hair, eyes and complexion, and has a scar across one of his cheeks. He left with a white mare and colt, and a bay mare, all belonging to Hobbs. Brent is 5 feet 10 inches high, dark hair, eyes and complexion, and has a scar on his left cheek. He left with a bay mare and colt, and a white mare, belonging to Monk. He is also supposed to have with him a dun mare, about 5 feet 7 inches high, dark hair, eyes and complexion, and has a scar on her left hip. Brent is a native of Missouri, and has relatives in the neighborhood of Hillsbo

EASTERN MATTERS IN GENERAL.

GOVERNOR BEVERIDGE'S MESSAGE.

[From the N. Y. Times, Jan. 7.]

A discovery has been made to-day that is not very flattering to your high bred, aristocratic and erudite Democratic contemporaries. It is the startling one that the financial policy of the late Democratic Governor of New Jersey, as set forth in his message relating to national finances, is plagiarized in both idea and expression from Senator Morton's well remembered financial speech of December, 1868. A comparison of the two will show some very striking coincidences. For a man who expects to contest the Democratic nomination in 1872 with Chase and Pendleton, this is a very shabby beginning.

ENLARGEMENT OF NEVADA.

Senator Stewart has a bill, which he will introduce as soon as Congress meets, to enlarge the boundaries of the State of Nevada by the addition of a portion of Utah, including some of Salt Lake. The Union Pacific Railroad is pulled within the proposed new boundaries, but the appearance of the State as mapped out by Mr. Stewart is an indescribable figure, such as was never known in geometry.

RECONSTRUCTING NEW-YORK CITY.

The first week of the Democratic Legislature closes with a list of forty or fifty bills introduced, and the passage of the resolution rescinding the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment. A good share of the new bills relate to the abolition of the New-York Commissions, and it is a noticeable fact—and one which indicates that the City Democracy are not at all harmonious in their schemes of reconstructing the Government of the Metropolis, however cordially they may agree in tearing down what Republicans have done—that the New York members in both Houses are introducing three or four bills on the same subject—each man going on his own hook, and each having his pet scheme for an Excise law, a Police law, a Health law, &c., &c. The Tammany King has their two or three caucuses to try and bring about some concert of action on the subject of remodeling the Government of New York City, but it was no go. All the City members are anxious to get the credit of having introduced the successful bill for the repeal of this or that obnoxious act, of Radical legislation, and each one insists upon introducing his own bill. But the King controls the formation of the Committees, and there is where these ambitious schemes of the small fry of Tammany will find a burial from which there will be no resurrection. The only bills relating to New York City that will ever get reported from the Committees will be such as were drafted or approved of by Peter B. Sweeny.

THE LINE AND STAFF DIFFICULTIES IN THE NAVY.

[Our correspondence N. Y. Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4, 1870.—The staff and line difficulties about the respective grades of rank in the navy have a much more serious and detrimental effect on the service than might naturally be supposed. The Surgeons particularly appear to feel aggrieved, and more than one case of resignation has recently occurred. It is stated that this class of officers decide not to go to sea under existing rules and regulations, and prefer the alternative of leaving the employment of the Government altogether. In naval circles much complaint is also made against the officers known as Executive Officers. It is alleged that this officer does not, or should not, properly belong to the American navy; that his appointment is a mere copy after the English system, where an "Executive Officer" in charge of and responsible for the ship is a matter of absolute necessity, from the fact that one-half the officers of the higher grades are utterly incompetent, they being in most instances scions of the aristocracy and their positions being purely nominal. In an American ship the "Executive Officer" is virtually a second Captain, and in recent orders it is stated that he has been styled "second in command." There is no appeal even to the Captain from his orders, and altogether his presence and interference is said to be prodentive of anything but harmony and proper discipline, so far as the subaltern officers are concerned. All these aggrievances have been brought to the attention of the Naval Committee of the House, and the result will, in all probability, be an entire reorganization of the service. The staff officers are pressing their side of the question with vigor and energy, and there does not appear to be much doubt that a report conferring on them rank in proportion to existing grades of superiority in the navy will be presented.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM A HORRIBLE DEATH.

[From the Cincinnati Commercial, Jan. 7.]

About one o'clock yesterday George Froelich, while engaged in oiling a portion of the machinery in the "Excelsior" manufactory of W. R. Locke & Co., No. 233 West Third Street, was caught by his blouse by a shaft making one hundred and sixty-eight revolutions per minute, and instantly drawn upon and revolved with it. In less time than it takes in relation, every shred of clothing, save shoes and stockings, were stripped from his body, when he dropped from the shaft uninjured, save one or two slight bruises of the skin. To add to the singularity of the escape are the facts that the shaft is four and a half feet in length, and but fourteen inches from a heavy brick wall, and over twenty feet from the floor. The young man displayed the greatest presence of mind. As he dropped from the shaft on to an eight-by-twelve, he quickly reached for the ladder by which he had ascended, and deliberately ascending, informed those who had witnessed his fearful performance that he "did not think he was hurt any," being by far the least pale and agitated of any one present.

REVOLUTIONARY APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE OF SAN DOMINGO.

A document has been printed in New York, and is intended for exclusive circulation in San Domingo, which, addressing the people of San Domingo, says the men who profess to have been fighting for their freedom are selling them into slavery and betraying them. "The Bay of Samana," the address proceeds to say, "has been leased by Baez to the Government of the United States of America for $150,000 a year. It has already been formally taken possession of by that nation, and their flag has been unfurled upon San Domingo soil, thus basely bartered away for lucre. This leasing of the property of the people is only the first step made by traitors towards selling our country in its entirety to America a Government that is now eagerly grasping after all the territory it can acquire. When the time arrives that sees San Domingo annexed to the United States you will find yourselves the same as, nay, worse, than a conquered people. Your conscience will be measured by other laws. Your rights will be prescribed by men who refuse reconstruction to many of the Southern States, with which they were recently at war, and which they subjugated. Will they treat strangers better than their own flesh and blood? Already Americans are being brought into the country to supplant our native labor. Samana will be a colony of foreigners, on San Domingo soil, and yet independent of its laws. Those born in the Republic will be thrust on one side to make way for men brought from other nations. Our mines, our guano, are to be worked by imported labor. Our logwood and other valuable timber will be felled and carried to the place of exportation by foreigners, and foreigners will place it on board their ships. And San Domingans will quietly allow this, and make—no, not even a sign of disapproval."

After much more in this strain the address concludes with these words: "You ask, then, what you shall do under the circumstances. There are those who are quietly preparing to teach you. Only be ready when the day of freedom is proclaimed. It may be a long and bloody struggle, costing many lives. It may be accomplished like a lightning flash, requiring but the sacrifice of one."

THE OYSTER TRADE OF BALTIMORE

[From the Baltimore Gazette, Jan. 1.]

There are now licensed by the State 569 vessels, all engaged in bringing oysters to Baltimore from the Chesapeake and its tributaries within the limits of Maryland, and all those vessels are employed eight months of the year, and their average capacity is about 600 to 700 bushels, which makes an aggregate of about 4,000,000 bushels of oysters per year. Each vessel employed in the trade has an average of five men, which, in that branch of the business, makes an aggregate of 3,475 men. The greater part of the oysters brought to this market are packed and shipped, though many find their way to the West in the shell. There are in the city nearly one hundred packing houses, which give employment to five thousand persons, the greater part of whom are females. In those houses where the oysters are packed raw, men are employed as shuckers, but in those where they are steamed, females almost entirely are employed. Connected with this trade is the manufacture of tin cans, and while many of the larger packing establishments have a part of their cans manufactured on their premises, there are very few who make as many as they use. There are besides some ten or twelve factories which do no other work, while immense numbers are made by the convicts in the Maryland Penitentiary, and by the inmates of the House of Refuge. The machinery for the manufacture of cans has been made so perfect that two or three men at the machines in cutting out and forming the cans will keep from twenty to thirty solderers to work. It is estimated that about 500 persons are employed in the manufacture of cans.

GEORGE PEABODY'S WILL THE FIRST AT DOCTORS COMMONS, LONDON.

By mail from Europe we have the following copy of the main provisions of George Peabody's will, as taken from the books of Doctors Commons, London:

I, George Peabody, gentleman, do make this my last will and testament:

First—I direct that my remains shall be sent to my native town of Danvers, now incorporated by the name of Peabody, in the county of Essex, and commonwealth of Massachusetts, in that part of the United States of America called New England, and be deposited in the ground appropriated to that purpose in the cemetery of Harmony Grove, in Salem, in said county (near the Peabody town line), under the direction of my executors, hereafter named.

Second—I give and bequeath to Henry West, of 22 Old Broad street, London, £2,000, and, in the event of his decease, to his wife, Jemima West, and in the event of her decease, to his surviving children.

Third—I give and bequeath to Thomas Farman, of 22 Old Broad street, London, the sum of £1,000; and in the event of his decease, to his wife, Annette Emma Farman, and in the event of her decease to her surviving children. And I empower my executors to pay the above named legacies within six months after my decease, and free from any tax, duty or charges whatsoever.

Fourthly—I give and bequeath to the Right Hon. Lord Stanley; the American Minister at the Court of St. James for the time being, the Right Hon. Sir Stafford Northcote, Bart.; Sir Curtis Miranda Lampson, Bart., and Junius Spencer Morgan, Esq., trustees of the Peabody Donation Fund, and their successors, trustees of the said fund, the sum of £150,000, upon trust for the building of lodging houses, for the laboring poor of London as defined in my late letters to the said trustees; and I direct that this legacy be considered a part of the second trust, and disposed of in accordance with said trust. And I direct that my London executors shall of the said sum of £150,000 pay to said trustees of the Peabody Donation Fund £100,000 on the first Monday of October, 1873, and the sum of £50,000 at any time during said year 1873. As this work progresses the labor and responsibility increase, and I therefore deem it essential that another trustee be added, who will have the necessary time and possess the requisite knowledge of all that may be needed for the successful prosecution of the trust. Without assuming to dictate to the trustees, I would mention the name of Charles Reed, Esq., M. P., who is well known to me for his high and most honorable character, as a most suitable person to fill that office.

Fifthly—I nominate, constitute and appoint Sir Curtis Miranda Lampson, of 80 Eaton square, Pimlico, Middlesex, and of Rowfant, in the parish of Worth, Sussex, Baronet; Charles Reed, of Erismead House, Hackney, Middlesex, Esq., M. P.; George Peabody Russell, of Salem, Essex, and State of Massachusetts, United States, Esq.; R. Singleton Peabody, of Rutland, in the State of Vermont, counsellor, and Charles W. Chandler, of Zanesville, in the State of Ohio, counsellor—executors of this my last will and testament, fully authorising said Curtis Miranda Lampson and said Charles Reed, called my London executors, to act independently of said Geo. Peabody Russell, said R. Singleton Peabody and said Chas. W. Chandler, called my American executors; and I also authorize my American executors to act independently of my said London executors—that is to say, my London executors to have full management and control of my personal estate in England; and my American executors to have full management and control of my real and personal estate in America; but it is my wish and hope that all my executors, both in London and America, may act together with the utmost harmony for the best interest of the estate.

Sixthly—I direct that all and each of my executors aforesaid be exempt and excused from giving bonds to any court or magistrate or otherwise for the performance of their duties or offices as my executors.

Seventhly—I give and bequeath to the said Sir Curtis Miranda Lampson and said Charles Reed £5,000 each for their services.

Eighthly—I give and and bequeath to the said George Peabody Russell, R. Singleton Peabody and Charles W. Chandler, my American executors, $5,000 each.

Ninthly—I give and bequeath to the said George Peabody Russell, R. Singleton Peabody and Charles W. Chandler all the rest, residue and remainder of the property, both real and personal, of which I shall be possessed at my decease, or which may afterwards come or fall into my estate, upon trust to sell, exchange or retain, and the interest accruing on the same, to divide semi annually (reinvesting the moiety on the case of minor children) among the persons named as beneficiaries in the family trust, of which Messrs. J. M. Beebe, S. T. Dana and J. Endicott Peabody are trustees, according to the proportions of the sums allotted to each in said trust or such other portions as I may hereafter prescribe to them, my said American executors.

In witness whereof, I, the said George Peabody, declaring this to be my last will and testament, written on seven pages of paper, have hereto set my hand and seal, this 9th day of September, 1869.

GEORGE PEABODY.

NOT POSTED IN HISTORY.—A youthful applicant for a certificate to teach school presented himself before the superintending school Committee of a town in Maine, and after having answered correctly several questions in mathematics, he was asked: "In what year did Columbus discover America?" The young man paused, scratched his head and replied: "Well, Mister you've got me now." "Was it before or after the birth of our Savior?" continued the Committeeman. The youth spent a moment in thought, and then raising his huge fist, and striking it upon the desk, exclaimed: "*You've got me again, by thunder!*" The certificate was not granted.

In San Diego county it is reported that farming work is progressing in all sections, sufficient rains having fallen. From the southern part, bordering on San Bernardino, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, Kern, Tulare and adjoining counties north, reports come of much scantier fall of rain, though the loss thus far is rather prospective.

The town of Santa Cruz has been especially afflicted, and a deep gloom is thrown over the holidays by the unusual number of deaths. A private letter from that place informs us that scarcely a family has been exempt from sickness of some kind.

UNION REPUBLICAN CONVENTION OF OREGON.

The Union Republican voters of the State of Oregon will meet at the City of Portland, at 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1870, in Delegate Convention, for the purpose of placing in nomination a State Ticket to be supported at the approaching election in June, and the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before said Convention.

Counties will be entitled to delegates as follow:

Baker	1	Lane	12
Benton	10	Linn	18
Clackamas	12	Marion	24
Clatsop	3	Multnomah	20
Coos	4	Polk	12
Curry	2	Tillamook	2
Columbia	2	Umatilla	5
Douglas	12	Union	6
Grant	1	Washington	9
Jackson	10	Wasco	8
Josephine	4	Yamhill	13

The Committee recommend that the County Conventions for the election of Delegates be held on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1870.

By order of the State Central Committee.

M. P. BERRY, Chairman.

T. B. ODENEAL, Secretary.

Portland, January 19, 1870.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Stark's building, third story, opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Stark's building, third story opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street.

By order of M. E. H. P

Use KANE'S IMPERIAL CONDENSED SOAP. It washes without rubbing. For sale by Allen & Lewis, Corbett & McElroy, R. G. Smeath and all retailers.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, A. D. 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., in front of the auction room of A. B. Richardson, on Front street, in the city of Portland, county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described personal property of the estate of J. C. Jamison, bankrupt, to-wit:

12 head of Work Horses.
4 set of Double Harness;
2 Stage Wagons;
1 Saddle.

Terms, Gold Coin Cash in hand at time of sale.

O. P. MASON, Assignee of the estate of J. C. Jamison, bankrupt.

ja21dtd A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer

Newspaper Ink.

2,000 LBS. NEWSINK IN 50 LB KEGS For sale by HENRY L. PITTOCK, No 8 Washingtonstreet, Portland

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

PORTLAND, Jan. 28, 1870

Latest New York gold quotations 121¼

Legal Tender rates in San Francisco not quoted.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 82 buying 83 selling

We have no important transactions to record to-day. Prices remain unchanged in all kinds of produce which continues to arrive in quite large quantities by river steamers. The Montana and California have been now, both carrying large cargoes, a great proportion of which is wheat and flour. We take occasion to note the shipments of the net receipts shown by the receipts at this port. While rates are better than for wheat the quantity placed in the market has been very considerable indeed. In apples there is great dullness and prices are extremely moderate. The shipments of apples made to San Francisco have proved far from remunerative to shippers, and the prospect of realizing anything from this product the present season is dull indeed. Onions are in good supply for the season and more than enough to fill orders likely to be received soon, as but few demands for on the listening come to hand at this season of the year.

Liverpool, New York and San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28, 1870

Gold closed in New York 121¼

Legal Tenders quiet at 82½@83.

Sterling 109½@109¾.

Liverpool—Wheat is 2d@3s 3d.

The Continental, from Panama, arrived this morning with 600 ton asserted freight, mostly from New York, including 2,000 boxes of candles, 30 firkins butter and 100 cases oysters; also $92,270 in Mexican coin from Mazatlan, including $61,850 in transit for Hong Kong.

Flour $60 bbls Golden Age, superfine $1 75. Wheat quote superfine in sks $1 95@$1 40@$4 75; extra in sks $5 25@5 50.

Wheat—Market quiet at $1 45@$1 50 for No 1 and nominal figures for choice.

Barley—The market is weak, the range being $1 20@1 27½ @ 100 lbs.

Oats—Small sales within the limits of $1 25@1 50 @ 100 lbs.

Wholesale and Jobbing Prices.

PORTLAND, Jan. 28, 1870

ALCOHOL—Eastern, $3 00; California, $2 50

BACON—Sides, 16c; hams 14@15c; Cross' sugar cured do. 20c; Smith, Brasslield & Co's 20c; Johnson's, 20c; Shoulders, 12@c.

BUTTER—Oregon solid, 25@27½ ℔ lb; prime, 28@30c; fresh rolls, 30c; Tathams, 35@37½.

BUILDING MATERIALS—New Jersey Cement, ℔ bbl, $5 75; Rosendale, $4 50@$5 00; South Cross Lime, ℔ bbl, $2 75; San Juan do., $2 50; Carlisle Plaster, $5 25.

BEANS—White Pea 4 cts.; Red, 4cts; Pink, 4cts; Small White, 5½; Bayou, 4½; Butter, 4½.

BROOMS—Oregon make, No. 1, $3 25 ℔ doz.; No. 2, $2 25 ℔ doz.; No. 3, $4 25 ℔ doz.; California make, No. 1, $5 50@6; No. 2, $4 50@5; No. 3, $3 50@4.

CANDLES—Sinnuts, 19@19½; Emery's, 18c; Kelly's, 14c; Star, 18c; Ward's, 19c; Hardcore', 20, Macy's, 19; Schmidt's 18c.

COFFEE—Rio, 20½@21½; Costa Rica, 21@21½; Java, 23@24; Jones' Prepared Java, 40; Chartres, 30; Rona, 19c.

DRIED FRUIT—Oregon Apples, in bulk 4½, in kegs 6¾ cts.; California peaches new 13 cts.

FLOUR—Imperial, $5 00 ℔ bbl.; Stanilard, $5 00@5 bbl.; Vaughn's, $5 00; Magnolia, $5; Salem Mills, $5 00; Albany Rosalia Mills, $5 00; Commercial, $5; Day ton, extra $5 00; do superfine, $4 00@4 50; Oregon Mills, $5 00. Good Country brands, $4@4 50; Chemapeg Mills, $5 00; Mission Mills, $5; Brooklyn Mills, $5 00, Star Mills, $5 00; McLoran's, $5 00.

GRAPES—California, $2@2 50 ℔ box.

HARDWARE—Iron Axles, 9½@10½; Carriage Springs, 22@28; Axe Handles, $4 00@4 75; Pick do., $4 50@ $4 50, Sledge do., $3 00@4 00; Bar Lead, 12½c; Sand Paper, $5; Pat Cross-cut Saws, 8ft, $5@6 00 cts.; Mill do, 8 ft. $1 50@3 50; Anvils, Armitages, 15; Sledges, cast steel, 8d, bellows, 50@55c Pinch; Newhouse traps, $4 00@ $24 00; Grindstones, 4½; Cable Chains, 9 to 14; Thimble Skeins, $3 00@12 00; Scale Beams, 67½ ℔ C.; Union Scales, Fairbank's, $14 00; Grocers' do, do, $12 50.

HORSE NAILS—Dobbin (hand made), 4@6½; Putcam (pressed), 37½@40; Griffin (pressed), 30@40.

LARD—Oregon 10 lb cans 12@13c; in bulk 10@11c.

MIDDLINGS GOODS—Raisins, new fresh layers in boxes, $5 50; ½ boxes $3 75; ¼ boxes $2 00; Currants, 9 lb., 16c; Yeast Powders, P. & M. $2 ℔ gross, Donnelly's, do. $2c; Taylor & Young's, do, $2c; Bicarbonate, Barton's 9½c ℔ lb.; Batbittle, 11c; Oysters, Floids', $3 50; McMurrays, $3 ℔; Myers', $3 75; Mackerel in bbls $17 00@17; Kits No. 1, 4 75. California cheese, 12@13c.

IRON—Round Bar, ¾ to 2 inch, 5c; Small Bar, 6½@ 10; Norway Shoe Shape, 8; American do., 7½; Nail Rod, 11.

NAILS—Best brands $5 2½ keg; Fine Finishing and brads, $5 50; Lath 3d fine $10 00; Brad Spikes, $6 50

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Downer's 76 Regal; Devoe's, 78; Pratt's, 78 other brands, 70; Lard Oil, $1 20@1 20; Sperm; Winter Strained, $2; China Nut Oil, $1 25, Polar Oil, 80c; Peradise Oil, Harper & Osbornsen's, $1 25, Farmer's Oil, 80c; Neatsfoot Oil, $2 10; Sperm Oil, $2 80; Castor Oil, $2 75; Linseed Oil, boiled, $1 50; raw, $1 40.

POWDER—Duponts, 55 for ½ cans; 65 for ¼ cans; Rifle, in 25 lb kegs, $8 00; Sporting, in 5lb cans, $3 50 each; Eagle Duck, 1, 2 and 5, per keg, $4 50; Hazards Kentucky rifle, 55c for 1 lb cans; 65c for ½ lb cans; California, 55c for lb cans; 65c ½ lb cans; do per ½ keg, $8 50. Blasting, ℔ keg of 25 lbs., $2 75 Double tape fuse per M ft, $15 00; single tape fuse, per M ft, $10 25.

ROPE—For lb. 19@20c flems.

SALT—Liverpool fine, $15@47 50; do. coarse, $12 50; Carmen Island $35; Ground Rock, $21 00; Dairy, $37 50; Sack Quemin, $22 50.

SALMON—Half lbs, $5 00; bbls, $10.

SUGARS—Sand. Island, 9@11½; San Francisco Yellow C., 12½@12¾; Golden C., in bbls, 12¾@13; Powdered, 16½; Crushed, in bbls, 16½; in half bbls 16.

SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@7½; Colgate, 11½; Castile, 18c; Cal. brands, 7½@8c.

SYRUPS—Heavy Golden in bbls, 70@80c ℔ gall; 5 gall kegs, 80@90 ℔ gallon; San Francisco and Pacific in kegs 87½c; in bbl bbls 85, in bbls 80. Bay Honey, 90c ℔ gal. California Refinery, extra, 87½@90c ℔ gallon; Hawaiian, 5 gal kegs, 45c.

Weekly Retail Family Market.

PORTLAND, Jan. 28, 1870

DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS.		Bacon, breakfast ℔	18@20
Oranges ℔ doz	75@1 00	rib	15@20
Lemons per doz	1 00	Hams, sides	14@16
Green—		Shoulders, country cut	0
Apples	50c@1 00	" Butcher's and packer's cut	10
Pears, per bbl	1 50@2 00	" Butcher's and packer's sug'r cured	12½
Dried—		Cheese, Cal., ℔ lb	25@30
Pears, ℔ lb	8@10c	Cheese, Oregon	25@35
Apples, ℔ lb	7@10	Eggs fresh ℔ doz	35@37½
Peaches, ℔ lb	12½	Honey ℔ lb	18@20
Plums, pitless	20@25	Lard, choice, ℔ lb	15
" with pits	12½	Lard in tins ℔ 50	17@19
Figs, Cal., ℔ lb	20@25	Butter—	
Smyrna	35	Choice fresh roll	37½@40
Prunes, in bulk	20	Good " "	35@45
" in fancy packages	25	Ordinary " "	30
Coffee—		Common, ℔ lb	25@28
Green O ℔ lb	22	Flour—½ ℔ sack	
" Java "	25@30	Imperial	1 35
Jones' prepared, Retail:		Standard	1 35
" Java	40	Vaughn's	1 35
" Charitos	35	McLoran's	1 35
" Rio	30	Salem, XXX	1 35
Sugar—Crushed ℔	18	City Mills	1 25
Pulverized "	18	Other brands	1@1 12½
Golden C	14	POULTRY, GAME, &c.	
Granulated "	16	Turkeys each	$1 25@2 50
Yellow C ℔ lb	13½	Chickens, doz	4 00@5 00
Islands	12½@13½	" spring, ℔ lb	30@35c
Syrups in kegs ℔ gal	90@00	Butter—	
" per gal	1 10	Choice fresh roll	37½@40
Tea—Hyson	$1 50	Good " "	35@45
Imperial	$1 00	Ordinary " "	30
Old "	$100@1 25	Common, ℔ lb	25@28
Gun Powder	$1 75	Flour—½ ℔ sack	
Japan	90@1 25	Imperial	1 35
Black	62½@1 25	Standard	1 35
Concessions.		Vaughn's	1 35
Hams, country cut	17	McLoran's	1 35
" Butcher's "	20	Salem, XXX	1 35
Cured	20@22	City Mills	1 25
Smith, Brasfield & Co	21@22c	Other brands	1@1 12½
Cured	28	vegetables, &c.	
		Beets ℔ lb	2½
		Carrots, ℔ lb	2
		Onions ℔ lb	3@4
		Turnips ℔ lb	2
		Potatoes ℔ bushel	50@75
		Cabbage, ℔ doz	50@1 00
		Sweet potatoes, ℔ lb	5
		Parsnips ℔ lb	3
		Celery, ℔ doz	1 00@1 50

Domestic Produce Market.

PORTLAND, Jan. 28, 1870

Apples, green ℔ box	25@50
Apples, dried ℔ lb	4@6
Wheat, new white, ℔ bushel	75@75
" Red, ℔ bushel	80@85
Oats ℔ bushel	40
Corn meal W. W. ℔ 100 lbs	4 25
Country, ℔ 100 lbs	3 75
Ground Feed ℔ ton	21 50@22 00
Peaches dried ℔ lb	8½
Bacon ℔ lb	17
Hams	13@14
Shoulders	09@7
Lard, in tins	12
Lard, in kegs	10½@11
Eggs ℔ doz	25@30
Butter	25@30
Chickens, young, ℔ doz	3 50@4 00
" grown, ℔ doz	4 00@4 50
Beans ℔ 100 lbs	2 25@2 75
Wool, ℔ lb	18@20
Hay, baled ℔ ton	14@16
Hay, from wagons	12 50
Hides, salted, ℔ lb	8
" dry	9@11
Furs—Fisher	1 00@5 00
Fox, cross	1 00@2 00
" red	1 00@2 00
Marten, prime, dark	3 50@4 00
" pale	1 00@3 50
Mink, dark, northern	50@1 00
" pale	60@1 00
Muskrat	10
Otter, prime dark	1 75@3 00
Coon	12½
Wolf, in fall	75@1 50
Wild Cats	25
Skunk	12½
Fur Seal	1 50@2 50
Beaver, dark, per lb	7@8
Bear, black	2 50@4 00
" brown	2 00@3 50
Cat	25

Cotton Goods and Woolen Market.

PORTLAND, Jan 28 1870

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS.—*Blankets*, Oregon gray, No 1, $9 50; No 2, $6 50; No 1, do $4 25; do white, No 1 extra $12; No 1 $8 50; do No 2, $7 50; blue, $7 75; No 2, grays, $7 50; Vicunas, No 1, $11; No 2, $8, 8 4 White flannel, $1 10@$1 20; 4-4 White do 75c; 5-4 White do 90@95c; Fancy assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 40@45c; Grey Mixed Shirting 40@45c. Hard tlines, 50c. Grey Bunskin, $1 00; Fancy do, $1 10. Drab Mixed Beaver, 97½c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@$1 40; Tweeds, 100@50c; Yarns, $1@$1 25

COTTON GOODS.—*Sheetings*—Brandard, 12½@14½ seconds, 11½@ light, 12½@12½c, Standard drills, 12. *Shirtings*—Bleached undressed 14@22c; Bleached 36 in. 17@18c. *Denims*—18@21c. Hickory stripes, 18@ 20c. *Prints*—Fancy, 11c; Merrimac, 11c; Pacific, 11c; Lamas, 18. *Ticking*—4 qr 25@28c; 30 inch, 16@20c Lin sey, 24@28c 10-4 Bleach, 50 cts Oakland heavy sheeting 29c ℔ yard. 30-inch sheeting, 12½c@13½c ℔ yard.

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PORTLAND, Jan 28, 1870

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